Program Official may concur in an applicant's request to proceed with construction before funds are obligated provided the RUS environmental requirements are complied with. The applicant must be advised in writing that:

- (1) Any authorization to proceed or any concurrence in bid awards, contract concurrence, or other project development activity, is not a commitment by the Agency to provide grant funds under this part.
- (2) The Agency is not liable for any debt incurred by the applicant in the event that funds are not provided under this part.

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§1778.34 Grant servicing.

- (a) Grants will be serviced in accordance with §1951.215 of subpart E of part 1951 of this title and subpart O of part 1951 of this title.
- (b) The grantee will provide an audit report in accordance with §1780.47 of part 1780 of this chapter.

§1778.35 Subsequent grants.

Subsequent grants will be processed in accordance with the requirements set forth in this part. The initial and subsequent grants made to complete a previously approved project must comply with the maximum grant requirements set forth in §1778.11.

§1778.36 [Reserved]

§1778.37 Forms, Instructions and Bulletins.

Bulletins, instructions and forms referenced are for use in administering grants made under this part and are available from any USDA/Rural Development office or the Rural Utilities Service, United States Department of Agriculture, Washington, DC 20250-1500.

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§ 1778.100 OMB control number.

The information collection requirements contained in this part have been approved by the Office of Management and Budget and assigned OMB control number 0572-0110.

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